

Child Soldiers
Nonfiction Text Set Annotated Bibliography
(Grade 7 CMS)

Expository Nonfiction Texts

1. **Title:** "Armed and Underage." by Jeffrey Gettleman

Abstract: The article focuses on the widespread use of child soldiers around the world. Human-rights experts cite that over 200,000 children are still being used all over the world as soldiers.

Link to article:

http://teacher.scholastic.com/scholasticnews/indepth/upfront/features/index.asp?article=f042009_Armed

2. **Title:** "Hope for Uganda's Child Soldiers?" by Laura Blue and Jonathan Woodward

Abstract: The article discusses the return of abducted Uganda children turned soldiers to their homes.

Link to article: <http://content.time.com/time/world/article/0,8599,1226297,00.html>

3. **Title:** "When Child Soldiers Grow Up." by Clair MacDougall

Link to article:

http://ic.galegroup.com/ic/ovic/MagazinesDetailsPage/MagazinesDetailsWindow?failOverType=&query=&prodId=OVIC&>windowstate=normal&contentModules=&mode=view&displayGroupName=Magazines&limiter=&currPage=&disableHighlighting=false&displayGroups=&sortBy=&search_within_results=&p=OVIC&action=e&catId=&activityType=&scanId=&documentId=GALE%7CA338747167&source=Bookmark&u=mlyn_collinsms&jsid=7e2877ddd6a0126313f97a4fd7b3e52b

4. **Title:** "Child Soldiers being reintegrated" by L. Kurukulasuriya

Abstract: The article discusses the United Nations' Report on **Children** in Armed Conflict 2011, confirming the end of **child** recruitment by military groups in Sri Lanka.

Link to article: <http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=82073626&site=ehost-live>

Opposing Viewpoints: Argument Nonfiction Texts

1. **Title:** "Military Recruiting Exploits the Vulnerability of Teens." By Allen, Terry J.

Link to article:

http://ic.galegroup.com/ic/ovic/ViewpointsDetailsPage/ViewpointsDetailsWindow?failOverType=&query=&prodId=OVIC&>windowstate=normal&contentModules=&mode=view&displayGroupName=Viewpoints&limiter=&currPage=&disableHighlighting=false&displayGroups=&sortBy=&search_within_results=&p=OVIC&action=e&catId=&activityType=&scanId=&documentId=GALE%7CEJ3010484205&source=Bookmark&u=mlyn_collinsms&jsid=af729aa7ae8d50798be96b2c31f3debf

2. **Title:** "Children Do Not Have the Right to Join an Army." By Miller, Sarah Rose.

Link to article:

http://ic.galegroup.com/ic/ovic/ViewpointsDetailsPage/ViewpointsDetailsWindow?failOverType=&query=&prodId=OVIC&>windowstate=normal&contentModules=&mode=view&displayGroupName=Viewpoints&limiter=&currPage=&disableHighlighting=false&displayGroups=&sortBy=&search_within_results=&p=OVIC&action=e&catId=&activityType=&scanId=&documentId=GALE%7CEJ3010406212&source=Bookmark&u=mlyn_collinsms&jsid=da918621973b9f88733435ee544baeaf

Digital Nonfiction Nonfiction Texts

1. **Title:** "Eye To Eye: Ishmael Beah" from CBS News

Abstract: Ishmael Beah, a former child soldier, on CBS News with Katie Couric

Link to video: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ozsOLdgp_y0